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We are filing herewith as of August 22, 2001 for effect September 21, 2001 tariff material consisting of the following:

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This filing corrects inadvertent errors to comply with the DTE's directives in its March 24, 2000 and September 7, 2000 orders. In those orders, the DTE determined that standard intervals for the individual UNEs that make up an EEL arrangement should apply to provisioning of a new EEL. In its June 21st filing, the Telephone Company corrected these intervals; however the DTE considered those changes beyond the scope of its July 25, 2001 order in 98-57 (Phase I-B) and ordered the Telephone Company to refile the changes under a separate transmittal filing.

In addition, miscellaneous tariff revisions as described following are included in this filing. The interval for 1-9 links for line sharing is being reduced from 5 to 3 business days. Language is being included in the application of rates and charges sections for NID and for CRTEE to cover situations where costs may be pro rated among TCs for time and materials construction of a SPOI, CRTEE site preparation fee or CRTEE security charges. Language is also added to the NID section regarding cross connects to horizontal cable.

Attached are the necessary pages. Please return the two copies with stamp of receipt.	
Respectfully submitted,	
President-Massachusetts	